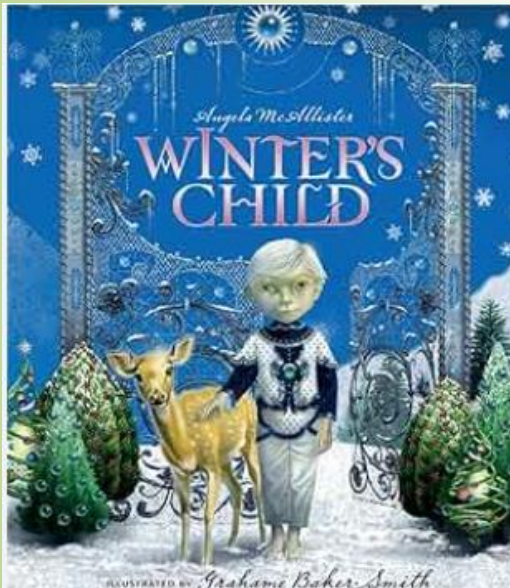


## Autumn 2 - Year 3

### Communication, Language & Literacy

#### Literacy

We will be using Graham Baker-Smith's fantasy story *The Winters Child* this half term as our writing stimulus.



#### French

Our topic this half term is celebrations. Through this we will revisit colours, learn days of the week and months of the year.

### Problem Solving & Reasoning

#### Maths

To begin the year, we will be focusing on place value and numbers to 1000. Then we will study addition and subtraction, before starting to learn multiplying and dividing.

### Creative Development

#### PE

This half term our PE topics are Netball and Gym, where we will be linking movement and skills together.

#### Music

Our topic to begin with is called Hear it, play it! Exploring rhythmic patterns. We will be feeling and coping pulses and patterns, responding to them, performing some before creating our own rhythmic patterns.

### Personal, Social & Emotional Development

#### PSHE

Throughout PSHE we will be learning and celebrating our differences. We will be looking to understand how to build each other up, give compliments and solve problems.

#### RE

We will be learning about the Religion of Islam, with a focus on the Prophet Muhammed and why he is considered to be a good example for Muslims.

### Knowledge & Understanding of the World

#### Science

Our new science topic is Rocks. We will be learning about the types of rocks and their properties including how rocks change over time.

#### History

This term, we will be studying the changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. We will learn how early man began as hunter-gatherers and then developed to form settlements.

#### Geography

Our key question this term is 'Are all settlements the same?' We will be looking to use maps to find and locate things. We will learn what the difference between villages, town and cities is and the different types of land use.

#### Computing

This half term we will be learning how to create documents using different apps and our Programming focus will be 'animations'.

#### DT

In DT we will be making pneumatic toys. The children will be creating their own toy with a pneumatic mechanism

#### Art

We will be completing a unit called Growing Artists, with a botanical theme. We will learn the use of shapes, shading, and texture in art to enhance our drawing skills in order to give a sense of light and dark in our work. We will be experimenting with different tools to create expressive and abstract art.

Artist focus: Georgia O'Keeffe